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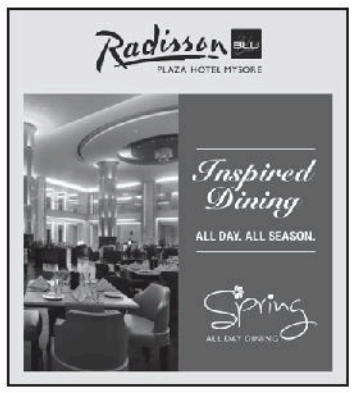


Senior Citizens BEWARE!

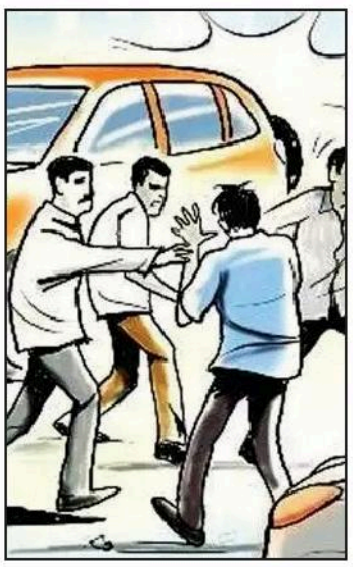
- Miscreants claim accident to extort senior citizens
- Victims advised to call 112 for Emergency Response

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (RK, KS & BCT)- Even as there is a decline in incidents of youths targeting motorists, particularly senior citizens driving four-wheelers, the latest crime involving a 70-year-old retired Police Officer, has brought this disturbing trend back to the forefront.

The victim is identified as 70-year-old B.A. Devaiah, a resident of Kuvempunagar 'M' Block who had a distinguished Military career and then served as an Assistant Sub-Inspector of Police before retiring from the Karnataka State Reserve Police (KSRP) in 2013.

The incident occurred last Saturday around 10.45 am, as Devaiah was driving his Santro car from his residence to Somanathanagar in Dattagalli.

Somewhere between the Royal Enfield Showroom and Apollo Pharmacy, near Kuvempunagar Complex, he heard a sound, which he initially assumed to be a fallen tree branch hitting his car.



As he continued his journey and turned towards Kuvempunagar Police Station, a masked youth on a motorcycle approached him.

The youth informed Devaiah that he had struck a bike, resulting in severe leg injuries to his friend who needed immediate medical attention.

Criminal adept in misleading

Devaiah, a compassionate individual, offered to accompany the youth to the hospital. However, the youth insisted otherwise, claiming that there were approximately 50 agitated people at the accident scene who might pose a threat to Devaiah due to his age. The youth demanded Rs. 40,000 as hospital expenses, placing Devaiah in a difficult situation.

Devaiah, aware of his background as a retired Police Officer and his connections within the Police force, suggested going to the Police Station to resolve the matter. Yet, the youth vehemently opposed this idea, insisting on immediate payment.

With no other options left, Devaiah explained his lack of cash and proposed withdrawing the money from an ATM. He stopped at the nearby SBI ATM kiosk near Ramakrishnanagar Circle, only to find it difficult to withdraw money as the ATM card had expired. He then contacted his son to deposit money into another account but was informed that even that account had been blocked.

(See BEWARE on page 7)

Be alert and call 112: DCP

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (RK,KS& BCT)- Reacting to the crimes on senior citizens and reports of the city becoming unsafe for vulnerable populations like elders, women and children, Deputy Commissioner of Police (DCP - Law and Order) M. Muthuraj has urged the people to be alert and not fall victim to the hoodwinking tactics adopted by criminals.

Muthuraj, DCP

"We have put in maximum efforts to increase Police presence in both uniforms and mufti in all areas and localities. Night beats have been strengthened with PCR vans, Garuda, Ring Road Patrolling Teams and general surveillance teams. Our aim is to make ourselves visible and in case of crime, even if minor, please report to the Police Station," the DCP told residents through *Star of Mysore*.

Motorists are strongly advised to utilise the Emergency Response Support System (ERSS) by dialling No. 112 if they encounter such situations. When contacting ERSS, a dispatcher will record the complaint and the caller's location, subsequently directing law enforcement to the scene to provide assistance to those facing these distressing circumstances, the DCP added.

Flash protest by city Advocates

Demand action against Hunsur Dy.SP for alleged verbal abuse of a lady Advocate

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (GA&BCT)- Hundreds of Advocates, led by the Bar Association, organised a sudden protest this morning in front of the Mahatma Gandhi Statue at the junction of Krishnaraja Boulevard. They were demanding the suspension of Hunsur Dy.SP Mahesh and Inspector Ravi, accusing them of mistreating a female Advocate.

The protesting Advocates formed a human chain and later sat on the road junction in front of the Law Court Complex, disrupting traffic flow and causing a traffic jam. Police had to redirect traffic from both ends of Krishnaraja Boulevard and Ballal Circle due to the Advocates' refusal to disperse.

(See PROTEST on page 7)

One-day 'Mysuru Milana' by Freemasons in city on Sept. 9

Mysuru, Sept. 7- The Freemasons, also known as The Grand Lodge of India, will be holding a one-day programme of 'Mysuru Milana' at Silent Shores Resort in Koorgalli here on Sept. 9.

Addressing the media, the President of Freemasons Mysuru, Dr. Abraham Thomas, said that about 1,200 members from all over India will be arriving in Mysuru to attend the programme.

*[Turn to page-6 for a special article titled **"Freemasonry: A Way of Life"** by Dr. C.D. Sreenivasa Murthy]*

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Thursday 7th September 2023

Air Cmde. L.K. Jain assumes charge as Air Officer Commanding

Mysuru, Sept. 7- Air Commodore Lalit Kumar Jain assumed the Command as Air Officer Commanding and President of 2 Air Force Selection Board (AFSB), Mysuru, on Sept. 1.

Air Cmde. L.K. Jain is an alumnus of National Defence Academy (NDA) and was commissioned in the Flying (Navigation) branch of the Indian Air Force in 1990. He has flying experience of over 4,000 hours on a variety of aircraft that includes Canberra, IL-76 and Avro.

He has been Chief Navigation Instructor at Navigation Training School and Head of Department at College of Defence Management. He was Station Commodore of an Air Force Station in Mumbai and commanded at missile squadron in Srinagar, J&K. He was Group Commander of National Cadet Corps (NCC) in Nagpur and also served as Deputy Director General of NCC, Karnataka and Goa Directorate and Rajasthan Directorate.

Air Cmde. L.K. Jain

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Silence has a lot to say, but only if you have the patience to listen. It can be much more eloquent than words and just as powerful. Silence provides us with the spaces we need to assimilate, to breathe, to grow. I recently got into an argument simply because I could not control the urge to speak about a trivial matter that had been bothering me. Had I not said anything I would have found a resolution within myself and regained my sense of balance and calm sooner than later. Only when I had caused unpleasantness with my words that I need not have spoken, I realised that sometimes silence is the best answer to the petty demands made on us by unruly circumstances, difficult people and shoves of our own ego.

When a lake is perfectly still, calm and quiet, the surrounding area and environment is clearly reflected on the surface of the lake. The lake then becomes a mirror where we see things as they really are. However, when the tranquillity of the lake is disturbed, the clarity goes away and the images that were previously clear get distorted. Words and actions can sometimes act like pebbles thrown on the surface of a serene lake, dis-quietening it. Silence allows the mutinous waters of our mind to settle down. It helps us regain clarity and perspective. It makes us see things as they really are. And when we see things as they really are there is no room for any kind of misrepresentation. When there is no misrepresentation there is nothing to clarify. When there is nothing to clarify we don't need words.

I've come to understand that with silence comes great power. The world never expects silence. It expects words, clarifications, discussions, motion, defense, offense and actions goaded by more words. Silence surprises the world and allows it to catch its breadth. The mind then takes precious moments it needs to regroup and recompose itself, giving us a fair chance at putting everything back together, in the best possible way.

When we are silent the world offers itself to us undisguised and magnanimous. Rumi said it, and I only reiterate "Silence is the language of Gods, all else is poor translation." *— Aditi Pant in Deccan Herald*

NEWS SPARKLERS

South Korea's impossible-looking influencer

Seoul: A South Korean social media influencer has been conquering the internet with photos so heavily edited that people can't help but like them.

Female influencers flaunting their God-given or surgically-enhanced physical attributes on social media have been dominating social media for quite a few years now, and while many of them rely on filters and Photoshop skills to digitally alter their appearance, they go out of their way to be as inconspicuous about it as possible. So when one influencer comes along and is not only up-front about digitally manipulating her social media pictures, but actually goes over the top with the editing, people apparently find it surprisingly refreshing. At least that's one way to explain the rising popularity of Shasheile, a South Korean girl whose ridiculous-looking physique is obviously the result of digital editing.

'Synthetic alcohol' with no side-effects

London: GABA Labs, based in London, is working on a type of synthetic alcohol called 'Alcarelle' which reportedly provides relaxing effects of alcohol without hangovers, balance deficiencies or any negative side effects.

Gamma-aminobutyric acid, aka GABA, is a neurotransmitter that blocks certain signals in the brain, thus producing a calming effect. When alcohol reaches the brain, it binds to GABA receptors and produces the same effects, relaxing and calming people down. The problem with alcohol is that it also has other negative side effects, like hangover, movement difficulties, speaking and thinking problems, etc. GABA Labs is currently working on Alcarelle that provides positive effects of alcohol, but none of the bad ones.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Can Smoking cause urinary bladder cancer?

Yes, smoking can cause urinary bladder cancer because nicotine is a carcinogenic.

By Dr. Dinesh Kumar T.P. - Consultant – Urology and Andrology - Manipal Hospital, Mysore

manipalhospitals LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

Youth's organs save six lives

Mysuru, Sept. 7- E.A. Prajwal, a 20-year-old youth from Pandavapura in Mandya, is 'shining bright' by donating his organs and saving six lives.

Prajwal was brought to Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru, on Aug.30 at 6 pm after he met with a bike accident near Pandavapura Sugar Factory, Railway Flyover Road. An initial CT scan showed a brain stem infarct and he was shifted to ICU.

He was kept on life support for four days. On Sept. 2 at 1.20 am, he was declared brain dead due to brain stem failure, as per the hospital protocol stipulated by the Transplant of Human Organs Act 1994 by panellist doctors at Apollo BGS Hospitals.

Prajwal was healthy before this incident and further tests confirmed his eligibility for organ donation. His family was counselled for organ donation as per protocol and his family came forward to donate his organs.

Officials from Jeeva Sarthakathe, which was earlier known as ZCCK, initiated the process by the organ recipients waiting list. At around 9.30 am on Sept.2, Prajwal's organs (2 Kidneys, 1 Liver, Heart Valves, Lungs and Corneas) were harvested and a cross-clamp was done at Apollo BGS Hospitals.

E.A. Prajwal

Apollo BGS Hospitals is the Licensed Centre for Multiorgan Transplants in Mysuru which is now recognised as the 5th Zone for Organ Transplants under SOTTO, Karnataka. To facilitate the crossmatch facility for Organ Transplants in this region, SOTTO has signed an MoU with Apollo BGS Hospitals, under which all cross-matching of transplant patients will be undertaken at Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru, saving the travel time to Bengaluru, which is crucial during Organ Transplantation.

The Hospital thanks the family of the deceased for coming forward for this noble cause of organ donation, said N.G. Bharateesha Reddy, Vice-President & Unit Head, Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru, in a press release.

The organs donated are as per the following table:

Sl. No.	Organs Donated	Recipient Hospital
1.	Liver	Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru
2.	Lungs	Apollo Hospital Seshadripuram, Bengaluru
3.	One single kidney	Apollo BGS Hospitals, Mysuru
4.	One single kidney	Clear Medi Radiant Hospital, Mysuru
5.	Corneas	K.R. Hospital, Mysuru
6.	Heart Valves	Narayana Hrudayalaya, Bengaluru

REALLY...?

- *The frilled shark, Chlamydoselachus anguineus, is one of the gnarliest looking creatures in the sea. If it looks like an ancient beast, that's because it is: the prehistoric creature's roots go back 80 million years.*

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

It's my wife's birthday tomorrow. Last week I asked her what she wanted as a present. *'Oh, I don't know,'* ***she said.*** *'Just give me something with diamonds.'*
That's why I'm giving her a pack of playing cards!!

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 83.16
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 103.81
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 22.64
1 Euro	= Rs. 89.12

VOICE OF THE READER

Check speeding vehicles on General K.S. Thimayya Road in Vijayanagar

Sir,

I would like to draw the attention of the authorities concerned to make arrangements to check speeding vehicles on General K.S. Thimayya Road (from Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple to Podar School).

This road has become a favourite test driving track for youngsters to speed test their bikes/cars and also a testing track for all the car/bike showrooms on nearby Hunsur road.

With multiples schools and malls on this road, these speeding vehicles pose a serious threat to self and others.

The road has witnessed numerous minor and a few fatal accidents and warrants either road divider or speed-breakers at Kodava Samaja - Pushkarini School junction and Sadvidya Semi-residential junction on Kerala Samajam Road.

Hope the concerned would please make note of this request and take appropriate action.

—A.J. Nagaraj
Vijayanagar 2nd Stage
5.9.2023

Export centres at Head Post Offices

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (SSM)- To encourage Small and Medium Industries and Export Industry, Export Centres have been opened at the Head Post Offices in Saraswathipuram and on Ashoka Road (Irwin Road) where entrepreneurs may avail the facilities.

Entrepreneurs can apply online by providing related documents including details of export items, affidavit etc. They can apply by visiting DOC-NIRYAT portal *(https://dnk.cept.gov.in/customers.web/).* Previously they could apply only at Head Post Office in Bengaluru.

A parcel weighing upto 32-kg could be exported at once. Any number of parcels can be sent. Those who wish to export their parcel may send it from the above two Head Post Offices. If there are more number of parcels, a facility of picking up them from their respective houses is also available. If entrepreneurs upload their e-KYC once, there is no need of uploading documents again and again.

For details, call Ph: 0821-2417308 or Mob: 91089-01005, according to a press release.

MCC Officials seize PoP Ganesha idols at Hebbal

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (RK&BS)- The Officials of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Health Wing have seized Plaster of Paris (PoP) Ganesha idols at Hebbal in city on Tuesday. The idols were made in violation of ban on making idols using materials considered hazardous to environment.

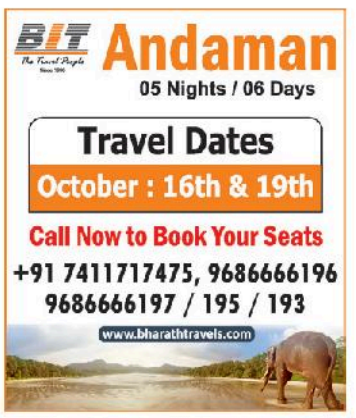
Following complaints from the public about PoP Ganesha idols kept for sale at the vacant plot next to Hebbal Police Station, the MCC Officers seized the idols and took them away.

The PoP idols were seized by MCC Health Officer Dr. Venkatesh and a Health Inspector, with security provided by Hebbal Police. However, the MCC Officers had to face the wrath of idol vendors who claimed to have been selling only eco-friendly paper mache idols.

The Officers explained to the vendors that those idols which can be easily dissolved in water on immersion are only permitted to be sold, while there is an order to ban manufacture, sale and installation of idols considered as environmental hazard and hence they are seized.

Free food facility for Vipra community students

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (SSM)- Sri Chitkala Trust, Mysuru, will be providing free breakfast, lunch and dinner for students belonging to Vipra community. PUC or any Degree course students and those pursuing Veda studies after SSLC at any Colleges across the city are eligible to apply. Students must have scored 60% marks in the latest exam. Preference will be given to outstation students. For details call Trust President Dr. V.R. Prasad (Mob: 94490-47608) or Secretary D. Prabhakar (94815-29770).



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NEWS BRIEFS

Under-13 Chess Championship

Mysore Chess Centre, affiliated to Karnataka Chess Association and Mysore District Chess Association, has organised Karnataka Under-13 Chess Championship from Sept. 8 to 10 at Hotel Paradise in Yadavagiri, Mysuru. More than 300 players are expected to participate. Two players from each category will be selected for Nationals to be held in Hyderabad in November. Players born on or after 1.1.2010 are eligible to participate. For details, visit ***chessfee.com*** or call Mob: 81238-19220.

Pratibha Puraskar

Honnusiri Multi-purpose Co-operative Society, Mysuru, has invited applications from meritorious children of the Society members who have scored more than 85 percent marks in SSLC and 75 percent marks in PUC (2022-23) for presentation of Pratibha Puraskar. Last date for applying is Sept. 15. [Ph: 0821-4253655 or 88849-27818].

Story-telling

As part of 'Kathe Kelona Banni-792,' Kalasuruchi has organised story-telling by N. Keshava Murthy, Programme Executive, Agriculture Section, AIR, Mysuru, at Suruchi Rangamane in Kuvempunagar on Sept. 9 between 4.30 pm and 5.30 pm. [Mob: 92435-81097].

Last date extended

Khadi & Village Industries Unit of Dept. of Industries and Commerce, which had invited applications from candidates engaged in professional rural artisan and cottage industries to continue their craft, has extend it's last date to Sept. 30.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	124.80 feet
Today	:	98.20 feet
Yesterday	:	98.60 feet
Inflow	:	2,893 cusecs
Outflow	:	6,267 cusecs

KABINI DAM

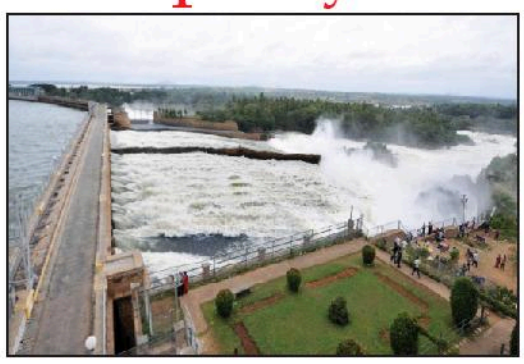
Maximum	:	2,284.00 feet
Today	:	2,273.78 feet
Inflow	:	2007 cusecs
Outflow	:	1100 cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00 feet
Today	:	2,855.41 feet
Inflow	:	1,779 cusecs
Outflow	:	411 cusecs

Silt eats into storage capacity of KRS, Kabini, Harangi Dams

If silt is cleared from three Reservoirs, storage capacity can be increased by up to 8 tmcft



By Bapu Lingaraj Urs

Mysuru, Sept. 7- The live storage capacity of Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS), Harangi and Kabini Reservoirs along the Cauvery Basin is decreasing due to siltation. Surprisingly, successive Governments have not taken any action to address this issue, despite the alarming rate at which silt is accumulating.

Numerous studies have been conducted over the years to assess silt deposition in these Dams, but no practical solutions have been implemented on the ground. While Governments allocate substantial funds for various irrigation and water resource projects, they have yet to allocate even a fraction of that amount to de-silt these reservoirs.

Reservoirs are essential for storing water for use during non-monsoon months. However, these reservoirs, created by damming rivers, also accumulate silt from the river water. A significant portion of this silt settles within the reservoir, reducing its storage capacity.

Studies have shown that silt accumulates both in the dead storage (the area below the Minimum Draw Down Level, not normally used) and the live storage. This process of silt accumulation is known as siltation, and it significantly diminishes the benefits of these expensive Dams. Siltation can also lead to increased evaporation losses, backwater flooding and damage to power house turbines.

2.34 tmcft of silt in KRS Dam

For instance, the KRS Dam, with a capacity of 49.45 tmcft (thousand million cubic feet) of water, has accumulated silt across an area of 131 square kilometres since its completion in 1932, without any silt removal efforts.

To assess the extent of siltation in the KRS Dam, the Karnataka Engineering Research Station (KERS) conducted an Integrated Bathymetric Survey (IBS), which collects data on reservoir depth and bottom topology. The survey revealed that approximately 2.34 tmcft of silt has accumulated in the Dam.

Interestingly, the silt accumulation in the KRS Dam is relatively lower than in Dams like Tungabhadra and Almatti, attributed to the rocky terrain in the upstream region of the Cauvery river, which reduces silt transport.

However, it's worth noting that the silt in the KRS Dam also includes rocky debris left to act as wave-breakers for safety. In the case of Kabini Dam, located at Beechanahalli in H.D. Kote, silt accumulation is estimated at 1.35 tmcft, which is lower due to the forested and mountainous areas from which water flows.

Harangi Dam

In the Harangi Dam in Kodagu, which is the primary Cauvery water supply reservoir to the KRS Dam, over 1 tmcft of silt has accumulated, with an increase after natural disasters in 2018.

The KERS report stating this accumulation prompted the Cauvery Neeravari Nigam Limited (CNNL) to prepare a Detailed Project Report (DPR) worth Rs. 130 crore for silt removal, check Dam construction, retaining walls and other development work. However, the State Government has not taken any action thus far.

Clearing the silt deposits at KRS, Kabini and Harangi Dams could increase storage capacity by up to 8 tmcft, benefiting both water storage and agriculture.

Scientists and geologists suggest removing silt from the interior of the reservoirs and disposing of it scientifically and methodically at the boundaries, presenting an economically viable solution.

Rain brings down temperature, tree in city

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (RK&KS)- Mysureans, who were reeling under heat due to scorching sun, found some relief yesterday following moderate rain.

The rain not only brought down the temperature but also brought down a huge tree in front of Commercial Tax Office on Dewan's Road. Luckily, no one was injured in the incident. MCC's Abhaya team members Irshad, Naveen, Puneeth, Avinash and others, who rushed to the spot, cleared the fallen tree and made way for smooth flow of traffic.

The weather was cloudy since yesterday morning and rains in some part of city began at about 12.15 pm. Continuous rain was witnessed in K.R. Circle, Devaraja Mohalla, Siddarthanagar, Saraswathipuram, Bannimantap and other areas, causing inconvenience to two-wheeler riders, roadside vendors and public.

Customers at Devaraja, Mandi and K.R. Markets, APMC and Old RMC were also inconvenienced so also students and those returning home from schools, colleges and offices.

Two-wheeler riders and pedestrians, who were caught off guard due to sudden downpour, had to take shelter in petrol bunks, bus stops and whereever they found shelters.

Flowers, fruits and vegetable vendors, those selling toys and other items on footpath and fast-food vendors suffered losses due to rain.

Heavy rain till tomorrow in Karnataka

According to the India Meteorological Department (IMD), up to moderate widespread showers with isolated heavy rains (64.5 mm-115.5 mm) will lash Tamil Nadu and Kerala until Friday. Similar weather will prevail over Karnataka starting Wednesday till Friday (Sept. 8).

In view of these forecasts, the IMD has issued a yellow watch over Tamil Nadu, Karnataka and Kerala for the next 4-5 days. Rain/ thundershowers are likely to occur at many places over North interior Karnataka, Coastal Karnataka and a few places over South interior Karnataka.

Ahead of Ayodhya Ram Temple's opening, Yakshagana in city

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (GA&BS)- In view of the inauguration of Ayodhya Ram Mandir, Uttar Pradesh in 2024, Mahalingeshwara Seva Samiti, Mysuru, has organised Yakshagana from Sept. 8 to 10 in the city.

Samiti Treasurer Puttasidda Nayaka told media persons at Pathrakartara Bhavana in the city yesterday, "As part of its 36th year tour *(Tirugata)*, Sri Mahaganapathi Yakshagana Mandali, Nidle, Dharmasthala, Yakshagana 'Kanakangi Kalyana' is organised in association with Sri Pejawar Mathadeesha Chaturmasya Samiti at Sri Krishnadhama in Gangotri Layout tomorrow (Sept. 8) at 6 pm."

Yakshagana 'Maharshi Agastya,' sponsored by Sri Jaladurgaparameshwari Temple, Dakshina Kannada and Sri Mahalingeswara Temple, Mysuru, is organised at Mata Amritanandamayi Mutt in Bogadi, Mysuru, on Sept. 9 at 6 pm.

Another performance on the sequences of 'Sampoorna Ramayana' including Pattabhisheka Muhurta, Panchavati, Lanka Dahana, Ravana Vadhe and Nija Pattabhisheka, is organised at Sri Mahalingeshwara Temple premises, K. Hemmanahalli, on Sept. 10 at 4 pm, said Puttasidda Nayaka.

Advocate O. Sham Bhat said, "Myself and senior ayurveda advisor Dr. M.N. Sudha have co-authored a book 'Pragyata The Ageless Guru of Guru Agastya' in English six months ago. While a tome will be taking shape in Kannada in the coming days."

Mahalingeshwara Seva Samiti Secretary G.N. Ananthavardhana and Advocate Shiva Shastry were also present at the press meet.

Obituary

Biddanda B. Raghupathy

Mysuru, Sept. 7- Biddanda B. Raghupathy (81), son of late Bopaiah and a resident of No. 301, Lakshmi Apartment in Lakshmipuram here, passed away yesterday in city. He leaves behind his wife, two daughters, sons-in-law, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at the foot of Chamundi Hill this afternoon.

Manjunath

Nanjangud: Manjunath (45), an ex-serviceman and a resident of Hedatale village in the taluk, passed away following brief illness at K.R. Hospital in Mysuru last night. He leaves behind his wife, two children and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at Hedatale village this afternoon.

Shuttle Badminton for teachers on Sept. 10

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (GA&BS)- As part of Teachers Day celebrations, Bhavishya Academy of the city has organised Shuttle Badminton Tournament for teachers on Sept. 10 at 8.30 am at Sports Park, Rajarajeshwari Nagar here.

Announcing this at a press meet at Pathrakartara Bhavana in the city yesterday, Academy Manager M.R. Sudheendra said: "The tournament will be conducted in knock-out basis, under the categories of Men's Doubles Open, above 40 years Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles Open and Mixed Doubles."

GSS Head Srihari will inaugurate the tournament that is open for teachers of school and colleges from across the State. Entry fee is fixed for every team. For registration and information, contact Mob: 99166-73300.

One Point Solution Manager Srikanth was also present at the press meet.

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the **FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** of the Members of the Mysore Race Club Limited, Mysuru, will be held at the **Registered Office of the Club, Mysuru-570 010, on Friday, 29th September 2023 at 11.00 am.**

By Authority of the Committee
Y.B. Ganesh, Chairman
Mysore Race Club Limited

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ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING

The 38th Annual General Body Meeting of the Urdu Teacher's House Building Co-Operative Society Ltd., Meena Bazar Road Lashkar Mohalla, Mysore. General Body Meeting and Election Will Be taking place at DARSGAH-E-BATHOOL (Fathima Kids Paradise) Opposite St.Ann's School, Near Thibadevi Theater N R Mohalla Mysore — 570007 on 17th SEPTEMBER 2023 at 10 a.m Society President Sri Noor Mohamed will preside. Those who have not got the invitation please consider this as invitation and join the general body meeting.

VENUE:- DARSGAH-E-BATHOOL (Fathima Kids Paradise)
DATE : 17.09.2023 | TIME : 10.A.M

Sd/- Secretary
Urdu Teacher's House Building
Co-operative Society Ltd.,

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ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

2023–24ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ತೋಟಗಾರಿಕೆ ಸಂಘದಿಂದ ನಿಶಾದ್ ಭಾಗ್ (ಕುಪ್ಪಣ್ಣ ಪಾರ್ಕ್) ಆವರಣದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯುವ ದಸರಾ ಫಲಪುಷ್ಪ ಪ್ರದರ್ಶನದ ಪ್ರವೇಶ ಶುಲ್ಕ, ಆಹಾರ ಮಳಿಗೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಮ್ಯೂಸ್ ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪಾರ್ಕ್‌ಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಸೀಲ್ಡ್ ಕವರ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಯಾ ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಲು ಆಸಕ್ತಿಯುಳ್ಳ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯವರು, ದಿ: 04.09.2023 ರಿಂದ 19.09.2023ರ ಸಂಜೆ: 5.30 ಗಂಟೆಯೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಈ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅರ್ಜಿಗಳನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ದಿ: 20.09.2023 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ: 5.00 ಗಂಟೆಯೊಳಗೆ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೋರಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ನಿಗಧಿತ ಅವಧಿ ಮೀರಿ ಬಂದ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ತಿರಸ್ಕರಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು. ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿ: 21.09.2023 ರಂದು ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಮತ್ತು ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿ:22.09.2023 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ: 5.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಹಿರಿಯ ಸಹಾಯಕ ತೋಟಗಾರಿಕೆ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು, ರಾಜ್ಯವಲಯ, ಮೈಸೂರು ರವರ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಸಹಿದಾರರನ್ನು ಮೊಬೈಲ್ ಸಂ: 9035990150 ಮತ್ತು 9141597596 ಗೆ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಲು ಕೋರಲಾಗಿದೆ.

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www:eemys@kpwd.gov.in ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ/ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಸ್ ನಂ: 0821–2420810

ಈ ಕಛೇರಿ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ ದಿ: 04.09.2023

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಮೈಸೂರು ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್‌ರವರಿಂದ ಈ ವಿಭಾಗ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ ಬಿಡ್‌ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ಕೆ.ಡಬ್ಲ್ಯೂ–1ರ ಷರತ್ತು ಮತ್ತು ನಿಯಮಗಳನ್ವಯ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಐಟಂವಾರು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯನ್ನು ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿಸಿರುವ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ (viz https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/) 04.09.2023 ರಿಂದ 12.09.2023ರ ಸಂಜೆ17:00ರವರೆಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.17.22ಲಕ್ಷಗಳು, ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.0.995ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಾಗಿದ್ದು ಹಾಗೂ ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ರೂ.22000/–ಮತ್ತು ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ರೂ. 2000/– ಗಳಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳು ಬೇಕಾದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಸಹಿ ಮಾಡಿರುವವರ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಆಥವಾ ಮಾರ್ಪಾಡುಗಳಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಮಾತ್ರ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

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2.	02/2022–23 ದಿ: 04.09.2023	04 ಮತ್ತು 05	ಕಾರಿಗೆಂಡಂ–1	4ನೇ ದರ್ಜೆ& ಮೇಲ್ಪಟ್ಟು	ಕ್ರಸಂ 05–ಪ.ಜಾತಿ & ಕ್ರಸಂ 04–ಪ.ಪಂಗಡ	28.08.2023

ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್,
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Freemasonry: A Way of Life

By Dr. C.D. Sreenivasa Murthy

"Freemasonry is a beautiful system of morality, veiled in allegory and illustrated by symbols."
— George Washington

Anish Kumar Sharma
Grandmaster, Grand Lodge of India

T.N. Manoharan
Regional Grandmaster, South India

Author Dr. C.D. Sreenivasa Murthy** (right) **receiving the 50-year long-term service jewel in 2020.

Freemasonry has long fascinated the world with its mystique, rituals and secrecy. Rooted in centuries of history, this fraternal organisation has garnered admiration, curiosity and suspicion.

Freemasonry's origins can be traced back to the medieval guilds of stonemasons. These guilds consisted of master masons and architects. They often would meet with their patrons, higher levels of clergy, wealthy merchants and princes who were the sponsors for construction of great cathedrals, castles and palaces. These building construction techniques were kept secret and the guilds and their patrons would meet very secretly and had an elaborate system of symbols and signs to identify their members and to keep off intruders.

Overtime, these guilds transformed into a fraternity that welcomed not only stonemasons but also individuals from diverse professions. Transition from operative to speculative Masonry marked the beginning of Freemasonry as we know it today. Speculative Freemasonry emphasises moral and philosophical teachings, using the tools and symbols of medieval stonemasons as metaphors for personal development. The guiding principles of Freemasonry are Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth.

In 1717, four London Lodges formed the Grand Lodge of England, which is considered as the birth of modern Freemasonry. The Grand Lodge established a system of governance, rituals and degrees that provided a standardised framework for Lodges to operate. Freemasonry spread rapidly throughout Europe in the 18th century, attracting members from all social classes. Lodges were established in Thirteen British Colonies of North America where Freemasonry played a significant role in the establishment of the new independent nation of the United States of America.

Several prominent figures involved in American Revolution were Freemasons. **George Washington,** Commander-in-Chief of the Continental Army and the first President of the US, was an ardent Mason. **Benjamin Franklin,** the renowned statesman and diplomat, was another influential Mason who used his connections to advance the cause of American independence.

While Freemasonry itself did not directly cause the American Revolution, its principles and participation of influential Freemasons helped shape the movement and its ideals. The fraternity's emphasis on liberty, equality and fraternity influenced the development of democratic values in the new-born nation of United States. Masonic influence can be seen in the founding documents of the US, such as the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution, which reflect the principles advocated by Freemasonry. In all, 14 US Presidents have been Freemasons.

The George Washington Masonic National Memorial has been established at Alexandra near Washington city. It is a museum designed to educate the world about how Freemasonry shaped the ideals, personality, and life of George Washington. In the museum there is a large mural depicting Washington laying the foundation for the new capital city wearing masonic regalia. It is said when he had to be sworn as the President, he designed the oath of office on the lines of masonic oath.

Some famous British Freemasons are Monarchs: King Edward VII, King Edward VIII and King George VI. War time Prime Minister Sir Winston Churchill and the husband of Queen Elizabeth H.R.H. The Duke of Edinburgh were also Freemasons.

Freemasonry played a significant role in British colonial society in India. Masonic Lodges served as important social and intellectual hubs, where members from various walks of life could come together on equal footing. These lodges facilitated networking, fostered camaraderie and provided a platform for discussions on a wide range of topics, including politics, philosophy, science and philanthropy. Many prominent Indian figures were members of the Masonic Lodges. Some notable Freemasons in India are **Nobel Laureate Rabindranath Tagore, Dadabhoy Naoroji, Raja Ram Mohan Roy** and **Swami Vivekananda.** So were many nationalists like **Motilal Nehru** (father of Jawaharlal Nehru), **C. Rajagopalachari,** the first Indian Governor General of India and industrialist **J.R.D.Tata.** After India gained independence in 1947, Freemasonry continued to thrive in our country. The Grand Lodge of India was established in 1961 to govern and regulate Masonic activities. Today, Freemasonry in India embraces individuals from diverse backgrounds, religions and professions, promoting brotherhood, egality, self-improvement and community service.

Each masonic entity is called a LODGE. Freemasons identify each other as BROTHER. The place in each Lodge where these brethren meet is designated as TEMPLE. The head of a Lodge is called MASTER. Freemasonry in India is controlled by the GRAND LODGE OF INDIA in New Delhi and its four subsidiaries the REGIONAL GRAND LODGES, head quartered in Chennai, Mumbai, Kolkata and New Delhi. The Masons heading these Regional Lodges are named as REGIONAL GRAND MASTERS and the Grand Lodge of India is headed by the GRANDMASTER.

Mysuru has the honour of hosting the mid-term meet of the Regional Grand Lodge of Southern India on Sept.9 and about 1,000 Freemasons from all over South India are participating.

History of Freemasonry in Mysore, India, can be traced back to colonial era when British East India Company had a significant presence in the region. After the defeat of Tipu Sultan in 1799, a big contingent of English army was stationed in Mysore. It is said the officers of this contingent established the first Masonic Lodge in Mysore. During 19th century, alongside the political and administrative changes, British military personnel and civil servants brought Freemasonry to Mysore. The present Lodge Mysore, sponsored by Lodge Bangalore, was established in 1878, and will be completing one-and-a-half century soon. It moved into the present Lodge premises near Mysore Palace in 1891. The most illustrious member who has occupied the Masters chair of Lodge Mysore is Sri Jayachamaraja Wadiyar, the last Maharaja of Mysore State. The King and his brother-in-law, the Maharaja of Bharathpur, were initiated into the mysteries of Freemasonry at a special dispensation meeting of the Lodge held at Mysore Palace on June 19, 1956. JC Wadiyar was the Master for two years during 1959 and 1960. His son- in-law Sardar Ramachandra Raje Urs was the Founder Master of Lodge Jayachamaraja in Mysore. Three famous Dewans of Princely Mysore State, Sir M. Visvesvarayya, Sir Mirza Ismail and N. Madhava Rao were active Masons. Rao was a member of the Constituent Assembly which framed the Indian Constitution.

The author of this article Dr. C.D. Sreenivasa Murthy is the longest serving Brother of Lodge Mysore and has completed 55 years of masonic service. He was honoured with 50-year long-term service jewel by the then Grandmaster of India in 2020.

Freemasonry beliefs provide a solid foundation for personal growth, community service and development of strong ethical values. Through an analytical examination of these beliefs — from their origins in medieval stonemason guilds to their modern-day implementation — we gain insight into the guiding principles that shape members' lives and forge lasting connections.

As Freemasonry continues to evolve in response to societal changes, its core beliefs of fraternity, egality and altruism remain steadfast, providing timeless wisdom for those seeking self-improvement, brotherhood and commitment to serve others.

Swami Vivekananda

George Washington

Motilal Nehru

Jayachamaraja Wadiyar

Lodge Mysore building established in 1891.

Panel to study feasibility of Swadesh Darshan 2.0 Scheme

Deputy Commissioner Dr. K.V. Rajendra chairing a meeting at Jaladarshini Guest House in city this morning as other officials look on.

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (RK&BS)- A meeting of the 'Destination Management Committee' was convened to discuss plans for the implementation of the Rs. 80-crore Swadesh Darshan 2.0 scheme by the Central Government.

The meeting took place at the new building of the Jaladarshini Guest House this morning. Swadesh Darshan 2.0 initiative aims to enhance the tourism potential of these destinations, ultimately benefiting both local communities and the broader tourism industry.

Deputy Commissioner Dr. K. V. Rajendra, who presided over the meeting, directed the officials to conduct a feasibility inspection on Sept. 8 to prepare a proposal for the initial phase of the scheme. This inspection will prioritise the development of parking facilities, construction of hanging bridges, and the introduction of toy trains for children, among other planned tourist attractions.

Under the Centre's scheme, two of Karnataka's historic royal cities Mysuru and Hampi have been selected as part of this initiative which focuses on boosting destination tourism. These cities, known for their significant historical and cultural importance, attract a large number of tourists year-round.

The DC also instructed the officials to hold discussions with Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha, before submitting the proposal to the Centre. The implementation of the proposed projects will depend on the funds allocated under the scheme.

The Swadesh Darshan scheme was originally launched in 2015, leading to the development of 75 tourism sites. In July 2022, the Union Ministry of Tourism revamped the programme as Swadesh Darshan 2.0 with a focus on fostering sustainable and responsible destination-centric approaches.

The DC's discussion centred around improving basic infrastructure at tourist destinations, promoting adventure sports, and conducting extensive online publicity to boost the tourism potential of these places.

Dr. Rajendra emphasised that the Dasara Exhibition Grounds should be transformed into a year-round hub of cultural, craft, food, and product-related activities, similar to Delhi Haat.

The objectives of this initiative include boosting the economic contribution of tourism to local economies, generating employment opportunities (including self-employment) for local communities, and enhancing the skills of local youth in the tourism and hospitality sectors.

Joint Director of Tourism M.K. Savita, Assistant Director of Tourism Raghavendra, Deputy Director of the Information and Public Relations Department Ashok Kumar, as well as representatives from the Mysuru Zoo, Mysuru City Corporation, and Archaeology, Museum, and Heritage departments attended the meeting.

Flash protest by city Advocates

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Eventually, a Police team, led by DCP (Law and Order) M. Muthuraj, managed to persuade the Advocates to protest on the side of the road without obstructing traffic. However, as more Advocates joined the protest, the traffic situation worsened. The Advocates demanded the presence of Superintendent of Police Seema Latkar.

According to the Advocates, Dy.SP Mahesh and Hunsur Rural Inspector Ravi verbally abused Asha, the female Advocate, and used offensive language towards her. Asha had visited the Hunsur Rural Police Station on behalf of her client to execute an anticipatory bail granted by the District Court.

Asha stated that she had gone to the station on Aug. 24 with the surety and bail bond, but Dy.SP Mahesh allegedly assaulted her client inside the Inspector's chamber. Despite her pleas to refrain from assaulting and to comply with the Court order, Mahesh allegedly continued to mistreat her client and also verbally abused her in offensive language.

The lady Advocate further claimed that when she questioned Dy.SP Mahesh's behaviour with Inspector Ravi, he also started verbally abusing her, and Mahesh joined in.

As the protest of city Advocates continued, SP Seema Latkar arrived at the scene at 1 pm and spoke with the Advocates. She informed them that an investigation had already been initiated based on the audio and video evidence submitted by Asha in her complaint and the Inquiry Officer would submit a report for further action by the Government.

During a meeting with Mysore Bar Association President M. Mahadevaswamy, Vice-President Puttasiddegowda, and Secretary S. Umesh, the SP clarified that neither she nor the Southern Range DIGP could take direct action against Dy.SP Mahesh or Inspector Ravi. Any action would depend on the Government's response to the investigation report.

Following the SP's assurance, the protesting Advocates announced that they would temporarily withdraw the protest and convene a meeting to decide their future course of action.

India's Rohan Bopanna enters US Open Men's Doubles Semis

New York, Sept. 7- Indian tennis star Rohan Bopanna and his Australia partner Matthew Ebden will take on the French pair of Nicholas Mahut and Pierre-Hugues Herbert in the US Open Men's Doubles semi-finals today at 9.30 pm (IST).

In the quarterfinals, Bopanna and Ebden saved seven set points in first set before outclassing Nathaniel Lammons and Jackson Withrow of the USA.

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TODAY'S MATCHES (SEPT. 7)

MEN'S DOUBLES (SEMI-FINALS)

6 Rohan Bopanna & Matthew Ebden
Vs Nicolas Mahut & Pierre-Hugues Herbert — **9.30 pm**

3 Joe Salisbury & Rajeev Ram
Vs 2 Ivan Dodig & Austin Krajicek — **10.50 pm**

TOMORROW'S MATCHES (SEPT. 8)

WOMEN'S SINGLES (SEMI-FINALS)

6 Coco Gauff **Vs** 10 Karolína Muchová — **4.30 am**

17 Madison Keys **Vs** 2 Aryna Sabalenka — **5.45 am**

WOMEN'S DOUBLES (SEMI-FINALS)

16 Erin Routliffe & Gabriela Dabrowski
Vs 8 Wang Xinyu & HsiehSu-wei — **TBD**

12 Laura Siegemund & Vera Zvonareva
Vs Jennifer Brady & Luisa Stefani — **TBD**

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[NOTE: Timings are subject to last minute changes]

Senior Citizens Beware !

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Running back and forth to ATMs

Devaiah left his car at the ATM, rode pillion on the youth's bike, returned home to retrieve his wife's ATM card and returned to the same ATM. Unfortunately, technical errors prevented him from withdrawing cash.

Consequently, the youth escorted Devaiah to a nearby HDFC Bank ATM, where he successfully withdrew Rs. 40,000. The youth then collected the cash and left Devaiah near the SBI ATM before fleeing the scene.

In the evening, Devaiah reported the incident at Kuvempunagar Police Station, providing a detailed account of the encounter and informed about the CCTV camera in the ATM which had captured the photo of the youth. A case has been registered and the Police have initiated efforts to arrest the youth.

Three incidents in May 2023 where elders were targeted

Mysuru, Sept. 7 (KS)- This incident revives a concerning pattern in the city, where a gang has been active, exclusively targeting elderly individuals operating four-wheel vehicles. In this sinister scheme, motorcycle riders confront senior citizens driving cars, falsely accuse them of causing accidents and then proceed to extort money from them.

This criminal trend came to light with a series of three incidents occurring within a 15-day period in May 2023. In one such troubling incident, criminals focused their attention on a retired Kannada Professor, K.P. Mahadevappa, residing in Kuvempunagar E&F Block on May 26.

They demanded Rs. 30,000 under the pretence of medical expenses, citing an accident that they falsely attributed to the professor. Ultimately, they coerced him into giving them Rs. 1,400. The incident occurred near the Paduvarahalli Traffic Signal Circle.

Just three days before Prof. Mahadevappa was targeted, two-wheeler riders had targeted the car driven by Ramaiah, a retired Director of the Department of Public Instruction and a resident of Kuvempunagar Police Station Road.

The youths forcefully halted his vehicle near Vijaya Bank Circle, subjected him to verbal abuse, falsely claiming that he had collided with their bike. They extorted Rs. 500 from him, but Ramaiah chose not to lodge a formal Police complaint.

Similarly, A. Chandrappa, a retired Professor of Commerce residing on Navilu Road in Kuvempunagar, experienced a similar ordeal in May where money was snatched in the pretence of medical expenses.

MYSORE TRAIN TIMINGS

FROM MYSURU RAILWAY STATION TOWARDS KSR BENGALURU

Train No.	From Station	To Station	Mysuru Departure	Bengaluru Arrival	Days of Service
16586	Mangaluru	KSR Bengaluru	3.45 am	6.15 am	Mon, Wed & Fri
12610	Mysuru	Chennai	5.00 am	7.50 am	Daily
16217	Mysuru	Shirdi	5.30 am	8.00 am	Monday
17326	Mysuru	Belagavi	5.50 am	8.40 am	Daily
06256	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	6.10 am	9.15 am	Daily Passenger
16215	Mysuru	Bengaluru	6.45 am	9.35 am	Daily
22687	Mysuru	Varanasi	7.30 am	9.55 am	Tue & Thu
20623	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	8.20 am	10.50 am	Daily
07345	Chamarajanagar	KSR Bengaluru	9.05 am	12.50 pm	Daily Passenger
19668	Mysuru	Udaipur	10.00 am	12.10 pm	Thu [Humsafar Exp]
12975	Mysuru	Jaipur	10.30 am	12.55 pm	Thu & Sat
12578	Mysuru	Darbhanga	10.30 am	1.35 pm	Friday
12613	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	11.30 am	2.00 pm	Daily
16315	Mysuru	Kochuveli	12.50 pm	4.35 pm	Daily
20608	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	1.05 pm	2.50 pm	Daily Except Wed Vande Bharat
17307	Mysuru	Bagalkot	1.25 pm	4.30 pm	Daily
06258	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	1.45 pm	4.55 pm	Daily Passenger
12008	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	2.15 pm	4.15 pm	Daily Except Wed
20659	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	2.50 pm	5.20 pm	Daily
12786	Mysuru	Kacheguda	3.15 pm	5.40 pm	Daily
16535	Mysuru	Solapur	3.45 pm	6.30 pm	Daily
16232	Mysuru	Mayiladuturai	4.15 pm	6.45 pm	Daily
16219	Chamarajanagar	Tirupati	4.55 pm	8.20 pm	Daily
16236	Mysuru	Tuticorin	6.20 pm	8.55 pm	Daily
16592	Mysuru	Hubballi	6.50 pm	9.40 pm	Daily
16210	Mysuru	Ajmer	7.10 pm	10.10 pm	Tue & Thu
16227	Mysuru	Talguppa	7.30 pm	10.30 pm	Daily
06526	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	7.50 pm	11.05 pm	Daily
22681	Mysuru	Chennai	8.15 pm	10.50 pm	Wednesday
16022	Mysuru	Chennai	9.00 pm	11.45 pm	Daily
06269	Mysuru	SMVT Baiyyappanahalli	9.50 pm	12.45 am	Daily
06560	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	10.25 pm	1.15 am	Daily
22135	Mysuru	Renigunta	11.00 pm	1.30 am	Friday
22818	Mysuru	Howrah	11.45 pm	2.00 am	Sunday

DEPARTING FROM KSR BENGALURU AND ARRIVING MYSURU

Train No.	From Station	To Station	Bengaluru Departure	Mysuru Arrival	Days of Service from Bengaluru
06270	SMVT Baiyyappanahalli	Mysuru	12.15 am	4.30 am	Daily
22817	Howrah	Mysuru	1.10 am	3.20 am	Sunday
16218	Shirdi	Mysuru	1.10 am	3.20 am	Thursday
06559	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	2.05 am	5.15 am	Daily Passenger
16021	Chennai	Mysuru	4.00 am	6.40 am	Daily
16220	Tirupati	Chamarajanagar	4.30 am	7.00 am	Daily
16228	Talguppa	Mysuru	5.05 am	8.20 am	Daily
22682	Chennai	Mysuru	5.25 am	7.45 am	Friday
16231	Mayiladuturai	Mysuru	5.45 am	8.00 am	Daily
16591	Hubballi	Mysuru	6.00 am	8.40 am	Daily
12785	Kacheguda	Mysuru	6.35 am	9.30 am	Daily
16235	Tuticorin	Mysuru	7.15 am	10.20 am	Daily
16536	Solapur	Mysuru	8.00 am	10.45 am	Daily
17308	Bagalkot	Mysuru	8.20 am	11.45 am	Daily
16316	Kochuveli	Mysuru	8.50 am	11.15 am	Daily
06257	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	9.40 am	1.30 pm	Daily Passenger
20607	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	10.20 am	12.20 pm	Daily Except Wed Vande Bharat
12007	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	10.50 am	1.00 pm	Daily Except Wed
20660	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	11.30 am	2.00 pm	Daily
12976	Jaipur	Mysuru	1.20 pm	4.00 pm	Wed & Fri
19667	Udaipur	Mysuru	1.35 pm	4.30 pm	Wed [Humsafar Exp]
20624	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	1.50 pm	4.20 pm	Daily
12614	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	3.15 pm	5.45 pm	Daily
07346	KSR Bengaluru	Chamarajanagar	3.35 pm	6.35 pm	Daily Passenger
06525	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	4.50 pm	7.40 pm	Daily Passenger
12577	Darbhanga	Mysuru	5.15 pm	8.00 pm	Thursday
17325	Belagavi	Mysuru	5.45 pm	8.40 pm	Daily
16216	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	6.15 pm	9.05 pm	Daily
22688	Varanasi	Mysuru	6.35 pm	10.00 pm	Mon & Sat
06255	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	7.00 pm	10.15 pm	Daily
12609	Chennai	Mysuru	7.50 pm	10.50 pm	Daily
16585	KSR Bengaluru	Mangaluru	9.00 pm	11.20 pm	Daily Except Friday
22136	Renigunta	Mysuru	11.20 pm	1.35 am	Saturday
16209	Ajmer	Mysuru	11.50 pm	2.15 am	Tue & Sun

TOWARDS HASSAN, ARSIKERE, SHIVAMOGGA, DAVANGERE, HAVERI, HUBBALLI, DADAR, NEWDELHI & BACK

Train	From Station	To Station	Departure	Arrival	Days of Service
16206	Mysuru	Talguppa	6.00 am	1.15 pm	Daily
11036	Mysuru	Dadar	6.15 am	5.30 am (next day)	Sunday (Mysuru)
06268 (Exp)	Mysuru	Arsikere	6.30 am	10.25 am	Daily
16208	Mysuru	Yesvantpur	7.15 am	10.10 am (Hassan)	Daily
16225	Mysuru	Shivamogga	10.15 am	4.25 pm	Daily
16222	Mysuru	Talguppa	2.00 pm	11.30 pm	Daily
06214	Mysuru	Arsikere	5.45 pm	9.50 pm	Daily
12781	Mysuru	Hazrat Nizamuddin	8.10 pm (Fri)	5.50 pm (Sun)	Friday
17301	Mysuru	Dharwad	10.30 pm	8.05 am	Daily
16585	Mysuru	Mangaluru Central	11.15 pm	9.05 am	Mon, Wed, Sat
06547	Mysuru	Mangaluru Central	11.15 pm	9.05 am	Tue, Thu, Sun
17302	Dharwad	Mysuru	9.05 pm	7.00 am	Daily
06213	Arsikere	Mysuru	5.00 pm	9.25 am	Daily
16226	Shivamogga	Mysuru	11.15 am	4.50 pm	Daily
16207 (Exp)	Yesvantpur	Mysuru	4.45 pm (Hassan)	7.55 pm	Daily
06267	Arsikere	Mysuru	5.30 pm	9.15 pm	Daily
11035	Dadar	Mysuru	9.30 pm	9.40 pm (next day)	Thursday (Dadar)
16221	Talguppa	Mysuru	6.10 am	3.35 pm	Daily
16205	Talguppa	Mysuru	3.00 pm	10.15 pm	Daily
12782	Hazrat Nizamuddin	Mysuru	5.10 am (Mon)	3.30 am (Wed)	Monday
16586	Mangaluru Central	Mysuru	6.35 pm	3.00 am	Tue, Thu, Sun
06548	Mangaluru Central	Mysuru	6.35 pm	3.00 am	Wed, Fri, Mon

TOWARDS MYSURU TO CHAMARAJANAGAR AND BACK

Train	From Station	To Station	Departure	Arrival	Days of Service
07327	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	5.00 am	6.35 am	Daily Passenger
16220	Tirupati	Chamarajanagar	7.20 am (Mys)	9.10 am	Daily
06233	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	9.15 am	10.55 am	Daily Passenger
06276	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	12.15 pm	2.00 pm	Daily
06543	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	3.45 pm	5.20 pm	Daily
07346	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	6.40 pm	8.40 pm	Daily
07345	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	7.15 am	9.00 am	Daily
16219	Chamarajanagar	Tirupati	3.30 pm	4.45 pm	Daily
06234	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	5.25 pm	7.15 pm	Daily Passenger
06275	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	6.35 pm	8.25 pm	Daily
06544	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	8.45 pm	10.30 pm	Daily
07328	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	9.30 pm	11.10 pm	Daily Passenger

Re-inventing the wheel

Suggestions for Dasara

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Ballal

Recently the District Minister of Mysuru, at a meeting he chaired in connection with Dasara, asked officials to come up with some new ideas for *Jumboo Savari* procession. So far so good. The present Committee is full of Government servants who are juniors to the Deputy Commissioner of Mysuru who is the Secretary of the Committee. DC is also new to his job and has to rely on old files and staff to make this programme a reality.

The officials by now must have dusted the old files of the Dasara festivities and prepared a replica of last year's festivity with some little modifications. If the Minister was really interested to change he should have some new faces in the Committee to get some new ideas. Last year there was some unpleasant experience of national-level artistes getting booed because they could not sing Kannada songs. So it is better for the administration to call only Kannada artistes for the events or at least get some national artistes who also sing Kannada songs like Shreya Ghoshal, Kunal Ganjawala etc.

For all the villages and small towns in and around Mysuru, Dasara is a yearly *habba* and they would come in large numbers and be happy with the lighting display and the very popular food mela.

Mysuru has become a transit point for domestic tourists visiting Kodagu, Wayanad etc., and practically out of international tourism circuit. One can hardly see any foreign groups. Let us not count on yoga students and classify them as tourists. Mysuru is now a weekend and holiday destination for the cash-rich Bengalureans. One can hardly get a room on weekends nowadays. To get international tourists, the Dasara festival and procession has to become real "heritage" since heritage sells in international market.

I have some suggestions which I have enumerated several times earlier too but always with a little hope someone in power reads it and tries to implement a few:

1. Dasara procession should be a real heritage one. Request, cajole or even plead to make the Prince a part of the procession in his silver chariot behind the howdah elephant. The fact that in the earlier times the kings used to come along the procession is an indication that the Prince has enough time to be a part of the procession after performing his Private Durbar at the Mysore Palace.

2. Private Durbar to be marketed and sold to high-end tourists.

3. From the reserve Police force, please select about 100 personnel and make special Palace uniforms as per the old tradition. Designs can be taken from various paintings in the Palace complete with turbans, spears, swords etc. These 100 persons should accompany the Prince as part of the procession.

4. Have a vintage car rally as part of the procession and the MLAs and MP of Mysuru can sit in those cars.

5. Reduce the number of tableaux to just 12 only. Let there be a competition and a committee can select the best 12 tableaux for the procession. It should be ensured that the people accompanying the tableaux should also be in uniform.

6. Provide good colourful dresses to the folk dance troupes.

7. Request other States to put up stalls in the city displaying their culture, cuisine etc., like Rajasthan, Kerala and Goa.

8. Police should ensure that people should not roam in the procession routes.

9. Ask the Department of Tourism to draw a list of top travel agents and travel writers, invite them over for *Vijayadashami* procession and honour them. This will go a long way in putting Mysuru back in tourism circuit.

10. The Government must actively ensure national TV coverage by better PR.

11. Lighting. At least Devaraja Urs Road and Sayyaji Rao Road to be lit up like Orchard Street lighting in Singapore. One can get details online.

Every year the free pass issue is a reality and I do hope that this year at least it is solved in advance so that gold card holders are not disturbed. Hopefully if some suggestions are implemented it will go a long way to ensure that this year's programme would be different. Time to re-invent the wheel has come.

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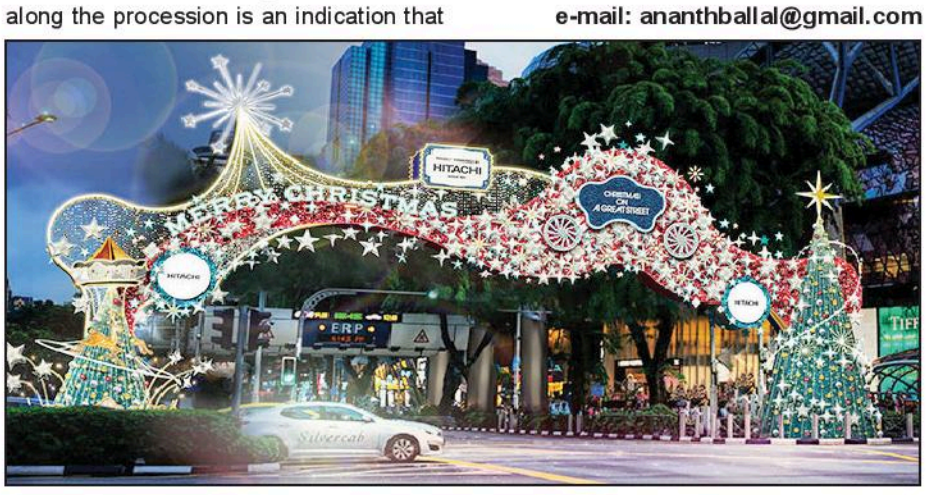

Orchard Street lighting in Singapore during Christmas. *[Pic. courtesy: Internet]*

State-level Annual Nadakishorotsava Competition from Sept. 8 to 10

Mysuru, Sept. 7- Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, Mysuru, has organised the State-level Annual Nadakishorotsava competition from Sept. 8 to 10 at its Sri G.R. Dasappa Memorial Hall on JLB Road. Ten selected youths will perform in the contest which decides Nadakishora/ Kishori 2023 along with two runners-up, individual best accompanists on violin and mridanga.

September 8

4.30 pm to 5.50 pm: Amogh Nadadur - Violin solo; Shubhang - Mridanga. **Sponsors:** Wg. Cmdr. T.S. Murthy, Dr. Padma Murthy and Dr. H.R. Damayanti.

6 pm to 7.20 pm: S. Chaitrika - Vocal; Prerana - Violin; Skandan Bharadwaj - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** Dr. R.N. Srilatha in Memory of her parents B.K. Savitramma, R.K. Narayanaswamy and Dr. Padmavati Narasimhan in Memory of Varadapriya.

7.30 pm to 8.50 pm: R. Nityasri - Vocal; Prerana - Violin; Skandan Bharadwaj - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** K. Chandrasekar in Memory of parents Kamakshamma, C. Krishna Murthy & late Vijayalakshmi Doreswamy in Memory of Dr. M.N. Doreswamy.

September 9

4.30 pm to 5.50 pm: Govinda Madhav - Violin Solo; Shubhang - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** Dr. Taramani Sadasivan & Lakshmi Satyanarayana Rao in Memory of H.N. Sadasivan; **6 pm to 7.20 pm:** Mahatee Raghuram - Vocal; Pruthvi Bhaskar - Violin; Vikram Bharadwaj - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** V. Balasubrahmanyam in Memory of Veene Shamanna & B.S. Jagannath in Memory of B.K. Shamanna

7.30 pm to 8.50 pm: TRK Brothers (R.V. Akshay and R.V. Abhishek) - Vocal Duet; Pruthvi Bhaskar - Violin; Vikram Bharadwaj - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** G.R. Nagaraj & Chandralekha Constructions: N.G. Thavane and R. Venkatesh.

September 10

10 am to 11.20 am: S. Mokshith - Violin Solo; Sumukh - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** Late Gunanmba Nanjaraje Urs and Harin Nanjaraje Urs.

11.30 am to 1 pm: R. Vanishree - Vocal; Mokshith - Violin; Sumukh - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** Vaidehi, Pushpa Iyengar & N. Saraswati Jois, Sharath Jois.

5 pm to 6.20 pm: Dhanya Dinesh - Vocal; Amogh Nadadur - Violin; Nandan Kashyap - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** A.G. Krishna Murthy & Uma Ganesh Rao, late K.R. Ganesh Rao; **6.30 pm to 7.50 pm:** K.P. Pranav - Flute; Amogh Nadadur - Violin; Nandan Kashyap - Mridanga; **Sponsors:** Sulochana Mohan in Memory of Suresh Mohan.

Amogh | *Chaitrika* | *R. Nityasri* | *Govinda* | *Mahatee*

TRK Brothers | *Mokshith* | *Vanishree* | *Dhanya* | *Pranav*

JSS Sangeetha Sabha to host Sitar and Vocal Concerts

Mysuru, Sept. 7- JSS Sangeetha Sabha has organised the following music concerts at Navajyoti auditorium in the premises of JSS College for Women, Saraswathipuram, here at 6 pm on both days:

Sept. 8: Renowned sitarist Rafique Khan will perform along with Rajendra Nakod on tabla.

Sept. 9: Veteran vocalist S. Shankar will perform along with Achyutha Rao on violin and Neyveli Venkatesh on mridanga and S. Manjunath on ghata.

For details, contact Rupanagudi Ratna Teja on Mob: 93467-01411.

Artistes' Profile

Sri Rafique Khan belongs to the sixth generation of musicians from the Dharwad Gharana. Born in Dharwad, he started playing the sitar at the age of nine under the tutelage of his father and his elder brothers. He was also trained in Gayaki Ang by his uncle. He passed his music exams from Gandharva Mahavidyalaya, Mumbai and graduated with a degree in Philosophy at the University of Goa.

Rafique Khan won the 'Sur Mani Award' from Sur Singar Samsad, Mumbai, at the young age of 23 years. He has been rated as a 'Top-Grade' artiste by All India Radio (AIR).

Rafique Khan | *S. Shankar*

The unique characteristic of his playing is the purity of the Raga and the balance between the two mixed styles in Gayaki Ang and Tantakari Ang (Vocal & Instrumental Style). His mastery over the instrument is evident in the Gamak Taans, which is considered to be the one of the most difficult techniques on the sitar.

Rafique Khan currently works at AIR, Mangaluru. He is the President of the music organisation Sangeet Bharati Foundation and also has an Academy of Hindustani Music at Mangaluru.

S. Shankar belongs to a family of musicians and was instructed in the basics of Karnatak Music by his own mother, Rajamma Shastri and later became the disciple of Guru Vallabham Kalyana Sundaram at the age of 12. The constant practice, and the experience of being associated with musical stalwarts has made him the most sought-after Karnatak Music artistes for distinguished Sangeeta Sabhas for over five decades. Over the years, he has consistently lived up to high standards of singing in the original Karnatak tradition. Thus earned the rightful place among the most respected, celebrated and acclaimed artistes of this generation. His contributions to the field of music are not just restricted to concert performances but extended to lecture-demonstrations, thematic presentations, innumerable recordings and his sincere and painstaking efforts to bring to light several relatively unknown compositions as compiled and edited by him in the book 'Sangraha Krithi Mala.' He has been conferred with 'Sangeetha Vidhyanidhi' by JSS Sangeetha Sabha.

Rajendra Nakod | *Achyutha Rao* | *Neyveli Venkatesh* | *S. Manjunath*

Music programme at Ganabharathi

Vidu. Amrutha Venkatesh

Mysuru, Sept. 7- Ganabharathi, Mysuru, has organised a music concert in memory of late Y.S. Subramanya by Vidu. Amrutha Venkatesh at Veene Seshanna Bhavana on Adichunchanagiri Road in Kuvempunagar here on Sept. 9 at 6 pm. The programme is sponsored by Kumaraswamy Subbramanya (USA).

The artiste will be accompanied by Vid. R. Madhavan on violin, Vid. Arjun Ganesh on mridanga and Vid. Dr. S. Karthik on ghata.

Artiste's Profile

Vidu. Amrutha Venkatesh is a well known musicologist. She was trained under great gurus like Vid. M.T. Selva Narayana, Vidu. Charumathi Ramachandran, Vid. Prince Ramavarma and Prof. Parasala Ponnamal. Her concerts are known for perfect renditions of kritis and great melody. Vidu. Amrutha is class by herself and created Bhani of her own. She has performed in various prestigious platforms all over South India and also in the USA.

She has been honoured with Yuva Purandara Award, Raga Laya Prabha and many more.

For more details, contact Ganabharathi EC Member C.G. Ravishankar on Mob: 94483-23234.

Vid. R. Madhavan | *Vid. Arjun Ganesh* | *Vid. Dr. S. Karthik*

WORD OF THE DAY

Malaise

Pronunciation: muh-LAYZ.
Meaning: Malaise refers to a slight or general feeling of not being healthy or happy.
Origin: A recipe: combine a handful of the blahs, a pinch of the blues and maybe a soupçon of ennui, season generously with "under the weather," and voila, you've got yourself the stew of sinking sensations known as malaise. Malaise, whose Old French ancestor was formed from the combination of mal ("bad") and aise ("comfort"), has been a part of English since the mid-18th century. It originally referred to a vague feeling of weakness or discomfort accompanying the onset of an illness—a meaning still in use today when a virus or other malady starts producing symptoms—but has since broadened to cover a general, ominous sense of mental or moral ill-being.
Example: "Despite its less-than-satisfying ending, Spider-Man: Across Spider-Verse serves the coolest animated kids I've seen since Miles felt that first bite from a radioactive spider five years ago. The movie opens with an all-girl, multiracial garage band coping with Gwen Stacy's (Hailee Steinfeld) malaise and ends with a team as powerful as rock stars ready to save the world."— Eisa Nefertari Ulen, The Hollywood Reporter, 13 June 2023.

THE ODD WORD

Macrural

Having a long tail.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Miss the boat

Meaning: The phrase 'Miss the boat' literally means: to miss a good opportunity.
Origin: This phrase is also common to use as a warning! For example: "Don't miss the boat." Or "Do it now before you miss the boat."
Example: "My friends are off to ski. I missed the boat this time, but I will join them next season."

QUOTE BOX

We may have all come on different ships, but we're in the same boat now.

—Martin Luther King, Jr.

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

FASTLIFELANE

Answer: Life in the fast lane.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Doubtful
5 Seed
8 Mother of Zeus
12 Ballet bend - "pile" anagram?
13 Royal Aeroscape, abbr.
14 Lawman Wyatt
15 Short musical composition
17 Think or ponder deeply over?
18 Peculiar
19 Went to sea
21 Incorrect
24 Hangs back or falls behind in movement
25 Knocks with knuckles
26 Portending evil
30 Solid water
31 A snap
32 Biblical high priest
33 Stresses
35 Among other things, inter __
36 Musical work
37 Book of maps
38 Gardening tool
41 In favour of
42 Mr. Shastri to his friends and fans?
43 Absence of light
48 Forewarning
49 Sense of self
50 Wicked
51 A sharp taste or a strong flavour
52 Bright colour
53 Impudence

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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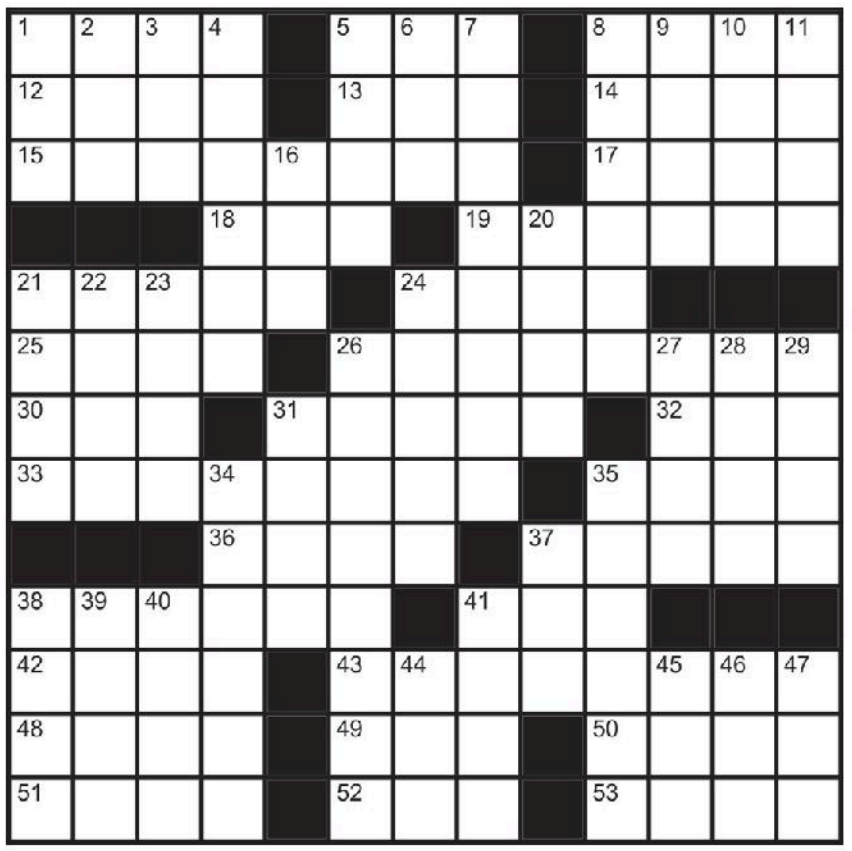
3 Underwater swimmer's flipper?
4 Longs for
5 Stiffly formal
6 Bond creator Fleming
7 Simple rural workers
8 Negligent
9 Tow
10 Old Gaelic
11 Copied like a monkey, perhaps?
16 Drag
20 Exchange fee
21 Legal document
22 Competition of speed
23 Not closed
24 Tawny beasts
26 Arm/trunk joint
27 Let people know
28 Lamb's nom-de-plume
29 Narrow inlets
31 ____ down : be quiet or less insistent?
34 Seeding or planting
35 Makes good
37 Noah's boat
38 Jogging gait
39 Arthur C Clarke book series
40 Kiln or furnace
41 Goad
44 Period of human life
45 Actress Longoria
46 Female sibling, in short
47 Satellite Landing Sys.



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Answer to previous puzzle

3	1	9	2	5	4	7	8	6
7	4	6	1	3	8	2	9	5
5	2	8	7	9	6	4	1	3
9	8	7	5	1	3	6	4	2
6	3	2	4	8	7	9	5	1
1	5	4	6	2	9	8	3	7
8	6	5	3	4	2	1	7	9
4	7	3	9	6	1	5	2	8
2	9	1	8	7	5	3	6	4

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

OM EHQ H FRBZ YHK IOHI VCNQI

HIM HK RAQIMN.

TODAY'S CLUE: O EQUALS H

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: If you learn from defeat, you haven't really lost.

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DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Sapta Sagaradaache Ello (K)	(S-1)	10.20 am, 1.10 pm
		7.15 pm, 10.05 pm
	(S-3)	4.05 pm; (S-4) 4.10 pm
Jawan (H)	(S-1)	4.00 pm
	(S-2)	10.25 pm
	(S-3)	7.00 pm
	(S-4)	8.45 am, 1 pm, 6.55 pm, 10.55
Lucia (K)	(S-2)	10.05 am
Jailer (K)	(S-2)	12:45 pm
Jailer (Ta)	(S-2)	3.55 pm
Kushi (Te)	(S-2)	7.10 pm
The Nun II (E)	(S-3)	10.55 am, 10.10 pm
Toby (K)	(S-3)	1.10 pm

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Toby (K)	(S-1)	10.45 am, 4.15 pm
Kick (Ta)	(S-1)	1.45 pm, 7.15 pm
Jailer (Ta)	(S-1)	9.45 pm; (S-4) 10 am
Sapta Sagaradaache Ello (K)	(S-2)	10.15 am, 4.10 pm, 6.55, 9.55
	(S-3)	12.45 pm
Kushi (Te)	(S-2)	1.00 pm; (S-4) 6.40 pm
	(S-3)	3.30 pm, 9.55 pm
Jailer (K)	(S-3)	6.40 pm; (S-4) 1.10 pm
The Equalizer 3 (E)	(S-4)	4.25 pm, 9.50 pm

PVR CINEMAS — 4K Dolby 7.1

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Sapta Sagaradaache Ello (K)	: 9.35 am, 12 noon, 12.55 pm
	3 pm, 4.10 pm, 7.10, 10.15 pm
Trailers Screening Show	: 11 am
Dream Girl 2 (H)	: 11.10 am, 7.20 pm
Jailer (Ta)	: 11.45 am, 6.10 pm
Jailer (K)	: 3.45 pm, 10.30 pm
Toby (K)	: 12.30 pm, 7.15 pm
Kushi (Te)	: 12.40 pm, 3.55 pm
	6.05 pm, 9.30 pm
The Equalizer 3 (E)	: 2.10 pm, 7.10 pm
Lucky Man (Ta)	: 3.15 pm
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (E-3D)	: 4.45 pm, 9.45 pm
Gadar 2: The Katha Continues (H)	: 9.45 pm
RDX (Ma)	: 10.15 pm

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Toby (K)	: 9 am, 12.40 pm, 6.50 pm
Sapta Sagaradaache Ello (K)	: 9.30 am, 12.30 pm, 1.05 pm
	3.30pm,6.30pm,7.30pm,9.30pm
Kushi (Te)	: 9.40 am, 4.05 pm
	6.20 pm, 10:30 pm
Trailers Screening Show	: 11.55 am
Kousalya Supraja Rama (K)	: 12.15 pm
Jailer (K)	: 3.20 pm
Jailer (Ta)	: 10.05 pm
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (E-3D)	: 3.55 pm
The Equalizer 3 (E)	: 9.45 pm

EVENTS TODAY (SEPTEMBER 7)

- **Sahara Art & Crafts:** Handicraft & Handloom expo, Scouts & Guides Grounds, behind DC's Office, **up to 9.30 pm.**
- **Srikrishna Trust Chaturmasya Samiti:** Pejawar Adhokshaja Mutt Seer Sri Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji's 36th Chaturmasya Vrata, Bhajans, Bhagavata discourse, Ramayana discourse and cultural programmes, Srikrishnadhama, Saraswathipuram, **5 pm to 8 pm.** [Mob: 94482-71837 or 99452-30501]
- **Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City Unit:** 'Mane-Manege Shravana Masada Sharana Sandesha,' lecture on 'Dayeye Dharmada Moolavayya' by B. Ratnamma Jayanna, residence of Neelambikadevi M.P. Nagaraj, No. 1490/706, Veerabhadreshwara Nilaya, Bogadi South, Prashantanagar, **5.30 pm.**
- **Samskrita Bharati and Vid. T. Narayana Shastri Foundation, Mysuru:** Samskrita Sapthah, *Samskruta Gaanalahari*, **5.30 pm to 6 pm;** Discourse on 'Hastapratigalalli adagide Bharateeya Jnananidhi' by Dr. Krishna Nagasampige, Gopalaswamy Shishuvihara, M.V. Gopalaswamy Road, Lakshmipuram, opposite JSS Men's Hostel, **6 pm to 7 pm.** [Mob: 82776-09280]
- **Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), Mysuru Local Centre:** 56th Engineers Day celebrations commemorating M. Visvesvaraya's birth anniversary celebrations, Technical Seminar on 'Engineering a resilient future: Building stronger, smarter, safer,' Fire Safety Research Foundation Director and former NIE Principal Dr. N. Suresh delivers keynote address, IEI Mysuru Chairman B.S. Prabhakara presides, S.B. Bhat Hall, IEI Mysuru premises, JLB Road, **5.30 pm.**
- **Vrindavana, Vijayanagar:** Sri Krishna Janmashtami Utsav-2023, swing festival, pushpa jhula, melodious kirtan, dance, drama, dinner prasad and chats; kids zone - fancy dress, shloka, gifts to all, prizes to winners, Gopi Dot Painting selfie stall, Divya Roopa Kalyana Mantapa, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, **5.30 pm to 9 pm.** [Mob: 90363-45326 or 84958-57245]
- **Suttur Mutt:** Shravanamasa discourse; Mass prayers, **6 pm;** Dr. K. Anantaramu, retd. Kannada Professor, Mysuru, delivers discourse on Lakkanna Dandesha's 'Shivatatva Chintamani,' Suttur Mutt, foot of Chamundi Hill, **6.30 pm.**
- **Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Mysuru:** Swami Jnanayoganandaji speaks on 'Sriad Bhagavad Gita,' Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**
- **Chinmaya Mission, Mysuru:** Krishna Rao Prakash delivers discourse on 'Pathanjaliya Yoga Sutragalu - Samadhi Pada,' Datta Sannidhi, Chinmaya Mission, Gokulam, **6 pm.**
- **Raasavrunda:** Krishna Janmashtami Celebrations, 'Nartana Krishna Marga' by Chinmayee Bharadwaj and Nityashree Shetty, artistes of Raasavrunda, disciples of Vidu. Nandini Eswer and Dr. Rohitha Eswer, Shree Lakshmi Venkataramana Swamy Temple, KRS Main Road, Vontikoppal, **7 pm.**
- **Sri Krishna Seva Samithi Charitable Trust and Sri Krishna Ganasabha:** Sri Krishna Janmashtami celebrations, Abhisheka and decoration, special decoration and puja, Alwar Kala Bhavana, Sri Krishna Temple Complex, Gokulam 3rd Stage, **8 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (SEPTEMBER 8)

- **Sahara Art and Crafts:** Shopping Festival — Handicraft and Handloom expo-cum-sale — Scouts and Guides Grounds, behind DC's Office, **10.30 am to 9.30 pm.**
- **Sri Krishna Seva Samithi Charitable Trust and Sri Krishna Ganasabha:** Sri Krishna Janmashtami celebrations, Sheshavahanotsava Annakoototsava, Mahamangalarati, Theertha Prasada Viniyoga, **11 am;** Godhuli Utsava (procession with Nadaswaram to go through 4th Cross, 2nd Main and 8th Cross and back to Temple from 6th Main), Alwar Kala Bhavana, Sri Krishna Temple Complex, Gokulam 3rd Stage, **6 pm.**
- **Srikrishna Trust Chaturmasya Samiti:** Pejawar Adhokshaja Mutt Seer Sri Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji's 36th Chaturmasya Vrata, Bhajans, Bhagavata & Ramayana discourse and cultural programmes, Srikrishnadhama, Saraswathipuram, **5 pm to 8 pm.**
- **Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City Unit:** 'Mane-Manege Shravana Masada Sharana Sandesha,' lecture on 'Kariyanjuvudu Ankushakkaiah' by Shivakumara Nagarle, residence of M.A. Neelambika, JSS Hostel for Differently abled Working Women and Girl Students, Ramanuja Road, **5.30 pm.**
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- **Sri Mahaganapathi Yakshagana Mandali, Nidle, Dharmasthala:** 36th annual Tirugata, Yakshagana 'Kanakangi Kalyana,' Sri Krishnadhama, Gangothri Layout, **6.30 pm.**

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Sapta Sagaradaache Ello (K)	(S-1)	10.05 am, 1.05 pm
		4.05 pm, 10.30 pm
	(S-2)	7.10 pm
Kushi (Te)	(S-2)	9.40 am, 10.10 pm
	(S-1)	12.45 pm; (S-4) 7.05 pm
The Equalizer 3 (E)	(S-2)	1.05 pm; (S-3) 7.45 pm
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle (E-3D)	(S-4)	10.25 am, 4.10 pm
Toby (K)	(S-3)	9.55 am, 4.35 pm
Jailer (K)	(S-3)	10.20 pm
Jailer (Ta)	(S-3)	1.05 pm; (S-4) 6.30 pm
RDX (Ma)	(S-2)	3.40 pm
Dream Girl 2 (H)	(S-4)	10.00 pm

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		3.30 pm, 6.30 pm, 9.30 pm
Kushi (Te)	:	10 am, 4.35 pm
		6.45 pm, 10.20 pm
The Equalizer 3 (E)	:	10.05 am, 4.10 pm
Toby (K)	:	12.40 pm, 7.20 pm
Kick (Ta)	:	1.25 pm
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (E-3D)	:	2.15 pm, 8.00 pm
Jailer (K)	:	3.50 pm
Jailer (Ta)	:	10.30 pm
RDX (Ma)	:	10.10 pm

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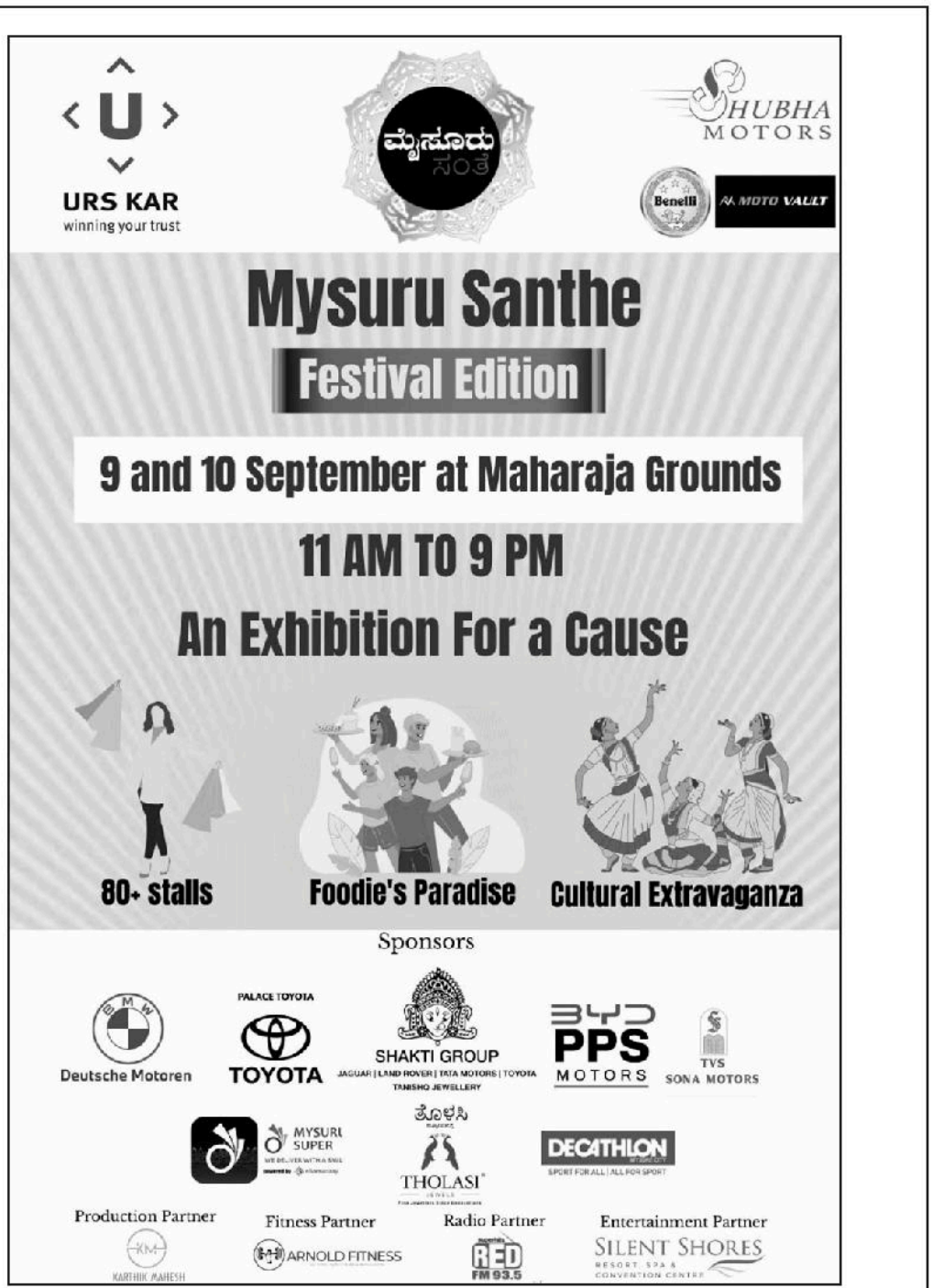

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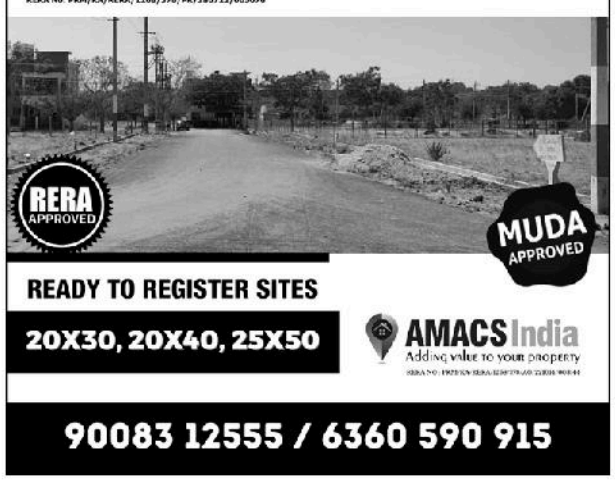

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